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25X1A9a Employees Activities Branch, OS

25 June 1956

ATTN : [REDACTED]

Chief, Industrial Division, ORR

The Attached Request from [REDACTED] Company 25X1A

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1. You will recall that I cleared with you a talk I was asked to give by [REDACTED] before the Washington Conference of the Machinery and Allied Products Institute (see my memo dated 1 June 1956).

2. On Friday, 22 June 1956, I received the attached request. I am in doubt as to the proper way to reply. I do feel that, however we reply, we should do so promptly in the interest of our public relations.

3. My own preference would be for a non-committal reply, simply stating that I personally have not been interested in the nations referred to and do not know where such work is being done. As an alternative we could say that such research, to the extent it is carried on at all, has been carried on by the State Department and the Department of Commerce.

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Attachment:

GE Letter dated 21 June 56

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